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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS CONTROL: ROBERT DUFAU TDY

REF: STATE 40424

1. EMBASSY APPRECIATES TEST FLIGHT PILOT TRAINING PROVIDED BY DUFAU DURING PERIOD OF FIRST TDY FROM 26 JANUARY THROUGH 22 FEBRUARY. OPTIMUM UTILIZATION OF DUFAU'S EXPERTISE NOT OBTAINED AS HE WAS TASKED TO ACCOMPANY HIS COUNTERPART TO DALLAS TO ASSIST WITH TEST FLIGHTS AND FERRYING OF MODEL 212 HELICOPTER RELEASED TO AG OFFICE AFTER EXTENSIVE CRASH DAMAGE REPAIRS BY SOUTHWEST VERT-ALL. RETURN FERRY FLIGHT TO MEXICO WAS DELAYED DUE TO SEVERE WEATHER CONDITIONS PREVAILING IN TEXAS; THEREFORE, ESTABLISHED TRAINING SCHEDULE WAS DISRUPTED AND NOT COMPLETED.

2. BASED ON INITIAL COMMENTS FROM BOTH AG AERO SERVICES MANAGEMENT AND PILOT RANKS, EMBASSY BELIEVES DUFAU ESTABLISHED GOOD WORKING RAPPORT NOTWITHSTANDING SHORT TIME HE WAS IN MEXICO. AVIATION OPERATIONS ADVISOR CARSON HAS SCHEDULED DUFAU FOR FOLLOWUP TRAINING IN MEXICO FOR A SECOND TDY PERIOD OF AT LEAST THIRTY DAYS
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AFTER COMPLETION OF HIS PRESENT COMMITMENT CITED IN REFTEL.

3. EMBASSY DEFERS JUDGEMENT ON POSSIBLE THIRD DUFAU TDY UNTIL TOPIC IS FORMALLY DISCUSSED WITH AG EXECUTIVE OFFICER BAEZA AND AERO SERVICES CHIEF HERNANDEZ. FINAL DECISION, OF COURSE, WILL BE PREDICATED ON FUTURE TRAINING REQUIREMENTS AND DUFAU'S QUALIFICATIONS TO

PERFORM.

4. ADVISE DUFAU ETA MEXICO FOR SECOND TDY. LUCEY

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